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Changes

1. This Change Transmittal updates 9 FAM 41.21 Notes by adding new information to section N6, Aliens Entitled to A-3, G-5, or NATO-7 Classification, and renumbering subsequent sections as follows:

Old Location	Old Title	New Location	New Title
9 FAM 41.21 N6	A-3, G-5, or NATO-7 Classification	9 FAM 41.21 N6	Aliens Entitled to A-3, G-5, or NATO-7 Classification
9 FAM 41.21 N6.1	Aliens Entitled to A-3, G-5, or NATO-7 Classification	9 FAM 41.21 N6	Aliens Entitled to A-3, G-5, or NATO-7 Classification
9 FAM 41.21 N6.1	Aliens Entitled to A-3, G-5, or NATO-7 Classification	9 FAM 41.21 N6.2	Qualifying for A- 3, G-5, or NATO- 7 Visa

New material	New material	9 FAM 41.21 N6.3	Key Questions to be Addressed in A-3, G-5, and NATO-7 Applications
9 FAM 41.21 N6.2	Terms and Conditions of Employment; Mandatory Employment Contracts	9 FAM 41.21 N6.4	Salary, Contracts, and Employer Obligations
9 FAM 41.21 N6.3	Domestics and Personal Employees of Aliens in Permanent Resident Status Not Eligible for A-3, G-5, or NATO-7 Classification Applications	9 FAM 41.21 N6.1	Personal Employees of Aliens in Permanent Resident Status Not Eligible for A-3, G-5, or NATO-7 Classification
New material	New material	9 FAM 41.21 N6.5	A-3, G-5, and NATO-7 Domestic Worker Principal Applicants Under the Age of 18
New material	New material	9 FAM 41.21 N6.6	Refusals and Advisory Opinions (AO)
9 FAM 41.21 N6.4	Endorsing A-3, G-5, and NATO-7 Visas	9 FAM 41.21 N6.7	Endorsing A-3, G-5, and NATO-7 Visas
9 FAM 41.21 N6.5	Information Pamphlet on Legal Rights of A-3, G-5, NATO-7, H, J, and Domestic	9 FAM 41.21 N6.8	Information Pamphlet on Legal Rights of A-3, G-5, NATO-7, H, J, and Domestic

	Employees		Employees
9 FAM 41.21 N6.5-1	Contents of Information Pamphlet	9 FAM 41.21 N6.8-1	Contents of Information Pamphlet
9 FAM 41.21 N6.5-2	Consular Officer Responsibilities Under the William Wilberforce Trafficking Victims Protection Act (WWTPRA)	9 FAM 41.21 N6.8-2	Consular Officer Responsibilities Under the William Wilberforce Trafficking Victims Protection Act (WWTPRA)
9 FAM 41.21 N6.6	Suspension of Processing of A-3 and G-5 Applications from Certain Foreign Missions and International Organizations	9 FAM 41.21 N6.9	Suspension of Processing of A-3 and G-5 Applications from Certain Foreign Missions and International Organizations

9 FAM 41.22 Notes was also updated to reflect the changes in 9 FAM 41.21 Notes.

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